

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, Dick and Sue Brown have dedicated their time and talent to countless hours of service to the state of South Dakota; and,

Whereas, Dick and Sue began working for the South Dakota Parks and Wildlife Foundation in 2008 and have been instrumental in raising over 12 million dollars for the benefit of Game, Fish, and Parks premier projects including construction of the Outdoor Campus in Rapid City, development of Good Earth State Park near Sioux Falls, the new Visitor Center, and renovation of the Peter Norbeck Outdoor Education Center in Custer State Park; and,

Whereas, Dick served four terms in the South Dakota House of Representatives, served as a Game, Fish, and Parks Commissioner from 2004-2007, a board member for Turn In Poachers, and was appointed and has served on the Black Hills Forest Advisory Council; and,

Whereas, Sue served in a number of capacities, including President and CEO, at the Sioux Falls Area Community Foundation, leading that organization in a robust growth period resulting in a multitude of benefits to the Sioux Falls community then, now and in perpetuity; and,

Whereas, Dick and Sue have served in many leadership positions with numerous charitable, civic, and public service organizations, all for the betterment of life in the state of South Dakota:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim October 5, 2017, as

DICK AND SUE BROWN DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with the South Dakota Game, Fish, and Parks Commissioners, the South Dakota Parks and Wildlife Foundation Board of Directors, Game, Fish, and Parks employees, and the citizens of South Dakota in thanking Dick and Sue Brown for their years of outstanding service to the state of South Dakota.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-Second Day of September in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

Dennis Daugaard
Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:
Shantel Krebs
Shantel Krebs, Secretary of State